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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *March* 27, 1760.

LONDON, *October* 30.

Tranſlation of a Letter from a Gentleman at Hanover to his Friend at London, dated Hanover, Oct. 12.

"IF ever the French Troops, in contempt of the Laws of War, gave the Lie to their Nation's Boaſt of ſurpaſſing all Europe in Humanity, it was on occaſion of the Retreat or Flight which they were forced to make after the memorable Battle of Minden or Tonhauſen.

The greateſt Part of the Principalities of Calenberg, Gottengen, and Grubenhagen, will bear, for many Years, the melancholy Marks of the Violences committed by the French Troops; which ſhew too plainly what the King's other German Dominions would have ſuffered, had not Providence employed the unparalelled Valour and Mighty Arm of the worthy Prince Ferdinand of Brunſwick, and the Troops under his Command, to hinder the Execution of Inſtructions given by a Miniſter Reſpectable for his Rank and for his Years; but highly to be Blamed for his Sentiments of Inhumanity; Proofs of which have fallen into the Hands of thoſe, whoſe Country, according to him, was to be made a Deſert. But let us come to the Fact, or rather to the Facts, the recital of which makes my Hair ſtand an End; I ſhould be inclined to queſtion the Truth of them, if I had not made the ſtricteſt Enquiry into it.

To conſtrain the Inhabitants, on their Rout, to furniſh all the Proviſions they had in their Houſes without leaving any for the ſubſiſtance of themſelves and their cattle, would have been, in ſome meaſure, excuſable in an Army, which after loſing a Battle and a great Part of it's Baggage, was retiring precipitately, having at it's heels the brave Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick, the guardian Angel of the poor People whoſe Lives and Effects were heavily threatned.

To burn what was not uſed, and to ſearch, for that end, the Vaults, Graineries, and Fields, is but little in compariſon of the Cruelty of thoſe Runaways, in forcing the Inhabitants, without regard to Age, by Beating them with Sticks, by Blows with Swords, Bayonets, and Muſkets, and even by ſuch Tortures as are employed only to condemned Malefactors put to the queſtion, to declare whether they had any Money, and where it was hid.

To pillage and take away all they could carry; to deſtroy the reſt; to ſet Fire to Towns as well as Villages, and to drive away, wound, and even kill, thoſe who came to extinguiſh the Flames; to raviſh Women and Maids, who were unfortunate enough to be in their way, and to drive away, with blows of Swords or Muſkets, Fathers, Mothers, Huſbands, or Relations, who ran to ſave them by their Tears and Entreaties, from the Brutality of a fugitive Enemy without diſcipline.

Theſe, Sir, are exploits of which I could give you a melancholy detail; mentioning the Place and Perſons who have been thus Treated: But the length of my Letter would fatigue you, and the Subject would be too much for your Humanity. We muſt do the juſtice to ſome Officers, in whoſe preſence the like violences were attempted, to acknowledge, that they were at great pains to curb the licentiouſneſs of the Men under their Command; but thoſe Gentlemen were very few in Number: Many others diſcovered great indifference at the ſight of theſe abominable Scenes, or ſhewed by their Looks and Behaviour that they did not diſapprove them.

Don't imagine, Sir, that this mal-treatment was confined to the common People: No, Perſons of Diſtinction were not ſpared.

At Haſtenbeck, a Lady of Quality received many Blows with a Stick after ſhe had herſelf opened all her Bureaus, which they pillaged, as well as her whole Houſe; and ſhe would certainly have been left Dead on the ſpot, with all her Family, had not an Officer interpoſed.—The Magiſtrates of ſome Towns being unable to procure the enormous Quantity of Proviſions and Forage which was demanded, were bound with Ropes and carried to the Market Place, and there thrown on Straw, and beat ſo unmercifully that ſome of them will be Lame as long as they live.

The firſt Magiſtrates of Gottingen (in which Town an Advocate, a Burgher, and a Woman with Child, were killed out of mere wantonneſs, in the public Street, without having given any Offence) ſuffered the groſſeſt Abuſe, even in the Apartments where the Magiſtrates hold their Aſſemblies. What they made Colonel Landſberg and Major General Hugo ſuffer, would put even the moſt brutal Troops to the Bluſh. Both are Veterans, who have lived many Years retired in the Country, with a Penſion from the King. But this did not hinder the firſt from being treated in a moſt ſhocking Manner; to perſonal Inſults they added the Barbarity of Robbing him of all his Money, Furniture, Linen, and Cloaths; inſomuch, that had it not been for a Peaſant's old Coat, which he had the good Luck to procure, he would have been for ſome Days without enough to cover his Nakedneſs. Major-General Hugo met with no better treatment at Wickerſhauſen, the Place of his Retirement, where, notwithſtanding the pitiable Condition he was in by a painful Illneſs, they took every Thing from him, not excepting the Shirt on his Back and the Bed on which he lay. They even carried their Brutality ſo far as to want to cut off one of his Fingers that had a Ring on it; which they would actually have done, had he not had the good Fortune, by the extraordinary Efforts he made, to get the Finger from them which they wanted to cut off.

Could you imagine, Sir, that with all this, the Troops who had rendered themſelves odious by ſo many Acts of cruelty, ſhould carry their Gallantry ſo far as to employ the Protection of the fair Sex. What happen'd at Hachmuler in the Bailiwic of Springe, will prove and explain what I mean. A Body of the King's Hunters having come up with a Body of French Troops near a Village, and being on the Point of charging them, the latter carried off from the Village a Reinforcement of Women and Maids, whom they placed in their firſt Rank, whether is was to excite the Humanity and Complaiſance of the Hunters, or to give a Turn to the Action of which they feared the Iſſue.

The Ready Money extorted by the Runaways, and the value of the other Things which they carried off and deſtroyed, amount to Immenſe Sums.——But I will not enlarge on this Head; and ſhall end this faithful Narrative, ſupported by inconteſtable Proofs, without adding any of thoſe Reflections which your good Senſe and Probity will eaſily ſuggeſt.

Amidſt the unfeigned Grief with which I am overwhelmed for the ſufferings of a multitude of my Countrymen, I ever remain, your, &c."

Dec. 20. We hear that a Cook to one of the Colleges in Cambridge, has, out of his Regard for the King of Pruſſia, made up a Collar of Brawn, weighing near an Hundred Weight, and caſed it up properly, and ſent it over as a Preſent to that Monarch.

Laſt Tueſday the Hon. Houſe of Commons *Reſolved*,

That towards raiſing the Supply granted to his Majeſty, the Sum of Eight Millions be raiſed, by transferable Annuities, after the Rate of Four Pounds per Cent. per Ann. and that an additional Capital of Three Pounds be added to every One Hundred Pounds advanced, which additional Capital ſhall conſiſt of a Lottery Ticket of the Value of Three Pounds, to be attended with like transferable Annuities, after the Rate of Four Pounds per Cent. per Ann. to commence from the 5th Day of January, 1761, for 20 Years, and then to ſtand reduced to Three Pounds per Cent. per Ann. and that the ſaid Sum of Eight Millions do bear an Intereſt after the Rate of Four Pound per Cent. per Ann. commence from the 5th Day of January, 1760, for 21 Years, from thence forward, and then to ſtand reduced to Three Pounds per Cent. per Ann. the ſaid ſeveral Annuities to be transferable at the Bank of England, and to be redeemable by Parliament, in the Whole, or in Part, by Sums not leſs than 500,000 Pounds at one Time, after the Expiration of 21 Years, to be reckoned from the 5th Day of January, 1760, and not ſooner, ſix Months Notice having been given of ſuch Payment or Payments reſpectively; that every Subſcriber ſhall on or before the 15th Day of January next, make a Depoſite of Fifteen Pounds per Cent. on ſuch Sum as he ſhall chooſe to ſubſcribe, towards raiſing the ſaid Sum of Eight Millions, with the Caſhiers of the Bank of England, as a Security for his making the future Payments, on or before the Times herein limited; that is to ſay,

Ten per Cent. on or before the 26th Day of February, 10 per Cent. on or before the 25th Day of March, 10 per Cent. on or before the 29th Day of April, 10 per Cent. on or before the 31ſt Day of May, 10 per Cent. on or before the 3d Day of July, 15 per Cent. on or before the 14th Day of Auguſt, 10 per Cent. on or before the 16th Day of September, 10 per Cent. on or before the 29th Day of October. Which ſeveral Sums, ſo received, ſhall by the ſaid Caſhiers be paid into the Receipt of his Majeſty's Exchequer, to be applied, from Time to Time, to ſuch Services as ſhall then have been voted by this Houſe, in this Seſſion of Parliament, and not otherwiſe; and that ſuch of the Proprietors of Tallies and Orders, made out at the Exchequer, by Virtue of an Act of the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, for enabling his Majeſty to raiſe the Sum of One Million, for the Uſes and Purpoſes therein mentioned, as ſhall be deſirous of ſubſcribing a Sum equal to the principal Sum contained in ſuch reſpective Orders, and ſhall, on or before the 8th Day of January next, produce their ſaid Orders, and ſignify ſuch their Deſire to the ſaid Caſhiers, ſhall be admitted Subſcribers for ſuch Sums; and that any Tallies and Orders, made out at the Exchequer, by Virtue of the ſaid Act, ſhall be received by the ſaid Caſhiers as Caſh to the Amount of the reſpective Sums, contained in ſuch Tallies and Orders, and the Intereſt that ſhall be due thereupon, as well in making the ſaid Depoſite, as in all ſubſequent Payments; and that the Tallies and Orders, ſo received, ſhall be taken at the Receipt of the Exchequer, and allowed, in the Payments to be made by the ſaid Caſhiers, for the Amount of ſuch principal Sums and Intereſt; and a Subſcriber, who ſhall pay in the whole of his Subſcription, on or before the 16th of September next, ſhall be allowed a Diſcount, after the Rate of Three Pounds per Cent. per Annum, from the Day ſuch Subſcription ſhall be ſo completed, to the 29th Day of October next.

They alſo *Reſolved*, That the ſaid Annuities and Lottery be charged, upon the Duties on Malt (3d per Buſhel in England, and 1 h. d. per Buſhel in Scotland) for which the ſinking Fund ſhall be the collateral Security.

It is ſaid of a truly honourable Gentleman, in a high Office, that being lately ſollicited for a Church Living in Hampſhire, worth about 150 l. a Year, he cut the Perſon ſhort, thus——*Sir, I have in my own Mind diſpoſed of the Living already; there is a Man in my Neighbourhood, whoſe Modeſty will not permit him to aſk for it, who has a numerous Family to provide for, and Merit ſufficient to intitle him to it.*

From a late BOSTON *Paper.*

SIR,

THE Gentlemen who had propoſed to amuſe themſelves, and their Friends, by the Repreſentation of a PLAY, wiſh the wiſe Men of *Boſton* to underſtand, that the Piece they had made Choice of for that Purpoſe, was, Mr. *Addiſon's* CATO; and that they are very ſorry they ſhould have been ſuſpected to be promoters of *Vice, Impiety, Immorality*, &c. And as it was intended to have been introduced by the Original Prologue, a little alter'd, to adapt it to the Times, I ſend you a Copy thereof to inſert in your next Paper.

PROLOGUE to CATO, intended to be ſpoke in the Character of an Officer of the Army.

TO wake the Soul by tender Strokes of Art,
To raiſe the Genius, and to mend the Heart;
To make Mankind, in conſcious Virtue bold,
Live o'er each Scene, and be what they behold;
For this the Tragic Muſe firſt trod the Stage,
Commanding Tears to ſtream thro' ev'ry Age;
Tyrants no more their ſavage Nature kept,
And Foes to Virtue wonder'd how they wept.
Our Author ſhuns by Vulgar Springs, to move
The Hero's Glory, or the Virgin's Love;
In pitying Love, we but our Weakneſs ſhow,
And wild Ambition well deſerves its Woe.
Here Tears ſhall flow from a more generous Cauſe,
Such Tears as Patriots ſhed for dying Laws;
He bids your Breaſts with ancient Ardour riſe,
And calls forth Roman Drops from Britiſh Eyes.
Virtue confeſs'd in human Shape he draws,
What Plato thought, and Godlike Cato was:
No common Object to your Sight diſplays,
But what with Pleaſure, Heav'n it ſelf ſurveys;
A brave Man ſtruggling in the Storms of Fate;
And greatly falling with a falling State;
While Cato gives his little Senate Laws,
What Boſom beats not in his Country's Cauſe?
Who ſees him act, but envies ev'ry Deed?
Who hears him groan, and does not wiſh to bleed?
Britons attend: Virtues like theſe approve,
If found at home, they merit more your Love;
Marcus *of* Rome, *with martial Virtue fir'd,*
But faintly ſhews how Briton's WOLFE *expir'd;*
The Sword of Vengeance, He *with Juſtice drew,*
Conquering He fell, *for Liberty and you;*
Grief, Joy, and Gratitude, together riſe;
And fill my Breaſt with Pain, with Tears my Eyes;
——But peace my Heart; Great GEORGE *triumphant lives,*
In Him, *kind Heav'n a* Conquering CATO *gives,*
Not pent by Foes within a narrow Bound,
But ſpreading Conqueſts all the World around.
AMHERST, *to lead us on, again prepares,*
Peace to reſtore, and eaſe our Sov'reign's Cares:
Oh! may Succeſs the gallant Leader crown,
While you with Gratitude his Merits own.

Cambridge (New-England) January 30, 1760.

IN truth, I am not a little concern'd, that I was not ſooner appriſed of the COMET, which made us a ſhort Viſit the Beginning of this Month. The firſt Notice I had of it was on the 12th Inſt. when it appeared not brighter than a Star of the fourth Magnitude, and without a Tail. I then obſerv'd its Place and its Motion for 4 *h.*; but have never been able to ſee it ſince, nor to procure any particular Information about it. If the Obſervations made at *Portſmouth, New-Hampſhire*, may be depended on, I conclude, that the Comet was in its Perigee, or leaſt Diſtance from the Earth on the 7th Inſtant about 3 *h.* before the firſt of thoſe Obſervations was made, and its Oppoſition to the Sun, about 3 *h.* after; its Diſtance from the Sun being near 82 Millions of Miles. It came much nearer to the Earth than the Comet of laſt *April* did; its leaſt Diſtance being ſcarcely four Million Miles.—It ſhot by the Earth with a Velocity of near 79,000 Miles in an Hour; and the Direction of its Motion being almoſt contrary to that of the Earth's, was the Reaſon of its very great apparent

Velocity, by which, when ſwifteſt, it muſt have moved above 2 Degrees an Hour. This is all I can collect from thoſe Obſervations, ſuppoſing them to be juſt. It would be in vain to attempt to determine the Comet's Orbit from them.

J. WINTHROP.

BOSTON, *March* 3.

Extract of a Letter from an Officer on board the Prince Man of War, one of Admiral Broderick's Fleet, to his Friend in this Town, dated Cadiz-Bay, December 23, 1759.

"By theſe Lines you will find the ſad Misfortune that has happened to our Fleet: On the 4th Inſtant we had a very hard Gale of Wind at S. W. and being likely to continue, we having found by our Reckoning to be nigh the Shore, from which we could not poſſibly claw off, by Reaſon of a prodigious Sea, put us in a terrible Apprehenſion for our Fate. About Four o'Clock the next Day it cleared away a little, and the Man at Maſt Head diſcovered the Town of Cadiz, which we immediately bore away for before Dark; but being too thick and hazy, as Night came on, we were obliged to come to at the Mouth of the Bay, open to the Sea: We immediately ſtruck our Yards and Topmaſts, as did the whole Fleet; between 12 and one next Morning the Storm increaſed, and a terrible Sea, which broke our Tiller, and ſhivered our Rudder in ſuch a Manner, that we expected every Moment it would fall from the Stern Poſt. The Newark, of 80 Guns, being a bad Ship to ride at Anchor in a Gale of Wind, parted all her Cables but one, and cut away her Main-maſt: The Culloden, of 74 Guns, was obliged to cut away her Main and Mizen-maſts; the Jerſey of 60 Guns, ſprung her Main-maſt. About Four o'Clock next Day, after we anchored, the Wind came more to the Northward, when the whole Squadron cut their Cables, and made the beſt of their Way to Cadiz Harbour.

"The Spaniards immediately came to our Aſſiſtance, and behaved exceeding kind, and ſtill continue ſo, which galls the French prodigiouſly, there being five Sail of the Line and three Frigates in the Harbour.—We now (bleſſed be God) have got in ſafe. We have heard of ſeveral Ships being on Shore, among which are ſeveral Engliſhmen by their Papers, there not being a Soul ſaved.—Our Admiral is determined to go out and ſee the French, notwithſtanding three of our largeſt Ships are ſo diſabled.—Three Days ago the Jerſey, of 60 Guns, joined us, and now I think we are able to cope with our French Neighbours. They made an Attempt this Morning to put out, but the Wind came too far to the Weſtward. Our Admiral has hoiſted his Flag on board the Conqueror, of 70 Guns: There are the St. Albans, of 60 Guns; the Jerſey, of 60; the Guernſey of 50; the Thetis, of 40; the Rainbow, of 40; the Lyme of 28; and the Sheerneſs, of 24, all ready to put to Sea."

Feb. 18. Wedneſday laſt died at Cambridge, in the 85th Year of his Age, HENRY FLYNT, Eſq; who for above 60 Years was Tutor of Harvard-College in that Place.

On the 3d Inſt. about 3 o'Clock an Earthquake was perceived at Salem, Newbury, and other adjacent Towns in the County of Eſſex.

PHILADELPHIA, *February* 28.

We hear that his Honour, the Governor, laid Mr. Secretary PITT's Letter to him before the Aſſembly Yeſterday, in which his Majeſty requeſts a further vigorous Aid for the enſuing Campaign; when they immediately took the ſame into Conſideration, and voted 2700 Men, being the Number we have ſupported for ſeveral Years paſt.

Extract of a Letter from London, Dec. 17, 1759.

"As to public Affairs, our repeated Succeſſes, you may be ſure, have put us all in high Spirits; and Admiral Hawke's Victory has robbed the French of their laſt Reſource; ſo that I imagine a good Peace cannot be very diſtant. We have already propoſed to treat, becauſe we cannot hope to be in a better Situation to make Peace; and the French muſt agree, becauſe in Truth, they are not able to carry on the War longer. And if Mr. PITT (and no Body doubts it) is as careful to make an honourable Peace, as he has been induſtrious to carry on the War with Vigour, we ſhall indeed make a glorious Figure. We are apt, you know, to compare paſt Times with the preſent, and to give the Preference to the former; but it is now allowed on all Hands, that better Times were never ſeen in Britain than the preſent. Jacobitiſm, and all Party is gone; our Courage and Spirit is univerſally felt and acknowledged; and our Trade and Credit is higher than ever; ſo that it may be truly ſaid, that there never was on the Face of the Earth a Nation ſo free, ſo wealthy, ſo intelligent, and even ſo virtuous, as we now are, the brighteſt Period of the Greek and Roman Common-wealths not excepted.——So greatly have Things altered here, in a few Years, by the Virtue, Spirit, and Sagacity of one Man."

Extract of another Letter from London, dated December 20, 1759.

"The Parliament have raiſed Eight Millions of new Money, to pay the Intereſt of which, an additional Duty of Three-pence is put on every Buſhel of Malt. It is computed that our Expence of this Year (to come) will be very little ſhort of Fifteen Millions; for already upwards of Eleven are appropriated. Pruſſia has the ſame Subſidy as the laſt Year, Six Hundred and Seventy Thouſand Pounds. Had the Government wanted Twelve Millions, they could have raiſed it with as much Eaſe as they did the Eight Millions. So great Confidence is put in our Adminiſtration, while the French are totally ruined, and their Credit entirely ſunk."

ANNAPOLIS, *March* 27.

Saturday laſt the General Aſſembly of this Province met here, when his Excellency the Governor opened the Seſſion, with the following SPEECH:

GENTLEMEN of the Upper and Lower Houſes of ASSEMBLY,

IT gives me much Pleaſure to have an Opportunity of Congratulating you, on the many, great, and ſignal Succeſſes with which GOD hath bleſs'd his Majeſty's Arms, both by Sea and Land, in divers Parts of the World, through the Courſe of the laſt Year; which, it was hoped, would have inclined his Majeſty's Enemies to Peace, and to accept of ſuch Terms as may have been conſiſtent with His Honour, and the Intereſt of all his Subjects.

This good End, however, not having been yet obtained, but the *French* King, on the contrary, ſtill perſiſting in his unbounded Ambition, and ſeeming determined to proſecute the War with freſh Vigour, his Majeſty our moſt gracious Sovereign, in order to render the Deſigns of his Enemies abortive, and having Nothing ſo much at Heart, as to improve the great and important Advantages gained in *North-America* the laſt Campaign, hath been pleaſed to command his Excellency General *Amherſt*, to proceed in the Reduction of *Canada*, as you will ſee by the General's Letter, which, together with One that I had very lately the Honour to receive from one of his Majeſty's principal Secretaries of State, ſhall be laid before you. From theſe Letters you will alſo learn, that his Majeſty, hoping all his faithful and brave Subjects in *Maryland*, as well as in his other Colonies, will at this Juncture, chearfully co-operate with and ſecond to the utmoſt, the extraordinary Succours which have been ſupplied by the Kingdom of *Great-Britain* for our Preſervation and future Security, hath been pleaſed to Order me to convene you without Delay, and to preſs you to raiſe with all poſſible Diſpatch, as large a Body of Men, as the Number and Situation of our Inhabitants can allow, that the ſame being formed into Regiments, may be ready by the Tenth of next Month, to march to ſuch Place of Rendezvous as may be appointed, and afterwards to act in Conjunction with the King's Regular Forces, in ſuch offenſive Operations, as ſhall be judged by his Majeſty's General moſt expedient for annoying the Enemy. That the Service recommended might be the leſs Burthenſome to us, the King's Commiſſaries are ordered to Victual all the Provincial Troops in the ſame Manner as the Regular Forces are Victualled; nor doth his Majeſty expect any thing more from the Colonies than that they will defray the Expence of Levying and Cloathing their reſpective Troops, and provide Pay for them during the enſuing Campaign: And that his Majeſty's Subjects here may be encouraged to exert themſelves to the utmoſt, he is moreover pleaſed to permit the Secretary of State to aſſure us, that ſtrong Recommendations will be made to Parliament in their Seſſion next Year, to grant a proper Compenſation for ſuch Expences as the ſeveral Provinces may be at, according as their active Vigour and ſtrenuous Efforts ſhall appear to merit.

The Secretary of State, and General *Amherſt*, having been very explicit as to what is expected from us, it only remains for me to exhort you to take their Letters into immediate Conſideration, and ſhew by your Proceedings thereupon, that altho' the unhappy Iſſue of our late Seſſions, gave ſufficient Room for the Cenſure contained in Mr. Secretary *Pitt*'s Letter, yet that it was by no means owing to any want of Loyalty, Affection, or Gratitude, to our moſt gracious Sovereign. And,

Gentlemen of the Lower Houſe,

I think it my Duty to intreat you in particular, cautiouſly to avoid at this Time, the Rock on which you have heretofore Split: And ſince you will find by the Opinion of his Majeſty's Attorney-General, which I ſhall communicate to you, that the Supply-Bill, which you offered the Year before laſt, and again laſt Year, to the Gentlemen of the Upper Houſe, is deemed ſuch a one as they could not, conſiſtent with their Duty, nor, without violating our Conſtitution, give their Aſſent to; permit me to hope, that you will now Frame ſuch a Bill as may be judged unexceptionable, ſo that the Concluſion of this Seſſion may efface the Remembrance of all paſt Failures, and demonſtrate that we likewiſe are animated with the ſame laudable Spirit, which hath, ſince the Beginning of this War, ſo remarkably excited our Fellow Subjects to exert their moſt vigorous Efforts.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, *Eſq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of* MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the UPPER HOUSE of ASSEMBLY.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

WE beg Leave to return your Excellency our ſincere Thanks for your Speech at the opening of this Seſſion; and to expreſs our Gratitude to that Almighty Being, who has ſo conſpicuouſly Conducted the Fleets and Armies of our moſt gracious Sovereign, to the many, great, and ſignal Succeſſes obtained through the courſe of the laſt Year.

Theſe we hope may be conſidered as an important Step towards inclining the *French* King, to liſten to, and accept of Peace, upon ſuch Terms as may be Conſiſtent with the Honour of our moſt gracious Sovereign, and the Intereſt, Security, and Happineſs of all his Subjects.

But for the Accompliſhment of this great and ſalutary Purpoſe, his Majeſty being ſtill obliged to keep his Sword unſheathed, and having called upon us, amongſt his other faithful and brave Subjects on this Continent, at this juncture, chearfully to co-operate with, and ſecond to the utmoſt, the extraordinary Succours ſupplied by our Mother Country for our Preſervation and future Security, we beg leave to aſſure your Excellency, that we ſhall, with all imaginable Chearfulneſs and Diſpatch, do every thing in our Power, to anſwer his Royal Expectations.

And we are willing to hope, that while the neighbouring Colonies are affording the ſtrongeſt Proofs of their Loyalty and Affection to the Beſt of Kings, by their ready Compliance with his juſt and reaſonable Demands, and of their Prudence in taking Care of their own immediate Security, by exerting their moſt vigorous Efforts in his Service; we of this Province ſhall not again be the ſingle Inſtance in this part of his Majeſty's Dominions, of an ungrateful Non-compliance with thoſe Demands, ſo neceſſarily tending to the Maintenance of his Majeſty's Honour, and the Security and Happineſs of his Dominions in general, and of this Province in particular.

May the Rock whereon we have heretofore Split, at this Time be cautiouſly avoided, that ſo the Concluſion of this Seſſion may efface the Remembrance of all paſt Failures; and the People of this Province be reſtored to their former Rank amongſt his Majeſty's moſt dutiful and affectionate Subjects.

B. TASKER, Preſident.

March 25, 1760.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Upper Houſe of Aſſembly,

I *RETURN you Thanks for your Addreſs, and the Aſſurance you are pleaſed to give me, that you will, with all imaginable Chearfulneſs and Diſpatch, do every Thing in your Power to anſwer the Expectations of our moſt gracious Sovereign.*

HOR°. SHARPE.

To his Excellency HORATIO SHARPE, *Eſq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of* MARYLAND:

The humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE of DELEGATES.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

WE, his Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Delegates of the Freemen of *Maryland*, in Aſſembly convened, return your Excellency our Thanks for your Speech at the Opening of this Seſſion.

With the greateſt Pleaſure we embrace the Opportunity you have now afforded us, of Congratulating you on the many and extraordinary Succeſſes, which, by the Favour of Divine Providence, have attended his Majeſty's Fleets and Armies, throughout the Courſe of the laſt Year, in whatever Part of the World employed; and which, it might reaſonably be hoped, would have inclined his Majeſty's Enemies to Peace, upon Terms conſiſtent with the Honour and Dignity of his Crown, and ſecuritative of the Intereſts of all his Subjects: But as that great and deſirable End has not been obtained, and the *French* King, inſtigated by his boundleſs Ambition, ſeems determined by freſh and vigorous Efforts, to proſecute his hoſtile Views; we cannot but gratefully acknowledge the vigilant Care of our moſt gracious Sovereign, in commanding General *Amherſt* to proceed in the Reduction of *Canada*; in Order, as well to render the Deſigns of his Enemies abortive, as to improve the great and

and important Advantages gained the laſt Campaign in *North-America*.

The Letters your Excellency has been pleaſed to lay before us, ſhall immediately be taken into Conſideration; and we hope our Proceedings thereupon will ſhew, as we flatter ourſelves our Proceedings always have done, that whatever Cenſure upon the Behaviour of this Province, the unhappy Iſſue of the late Seſſions may have given Room for, it was not in the leaſt owing to any Want in Us, of Loyalty, Affection, or Gratitude to our moſt gracious Sovereign, the beſt of Kings.

We obſerve your Excellency's pathetic and particular Admonition to us, to avoid, with Caution, the Rock on which we have heretofore ſplit; and as you have thought proper to communicate to us the Opinion of his Majeſty's Attorney-General, (tho' given, as we preſume, only as private Counſel to the Lord Proprietary), relative to the two Bills offered by us to the Upper Houſe, for raiſing Supplies, being deſirous to pay it all due Regard, we cannot but wiſh that Opinion had been accompanied with the State of the Caſe upon which it was founded; eſpecially as we are not at preſent convinced, that the Gentlemen of the Upper Houſe could not have Aſſented to thoſe Bills without a Breach of their Duty, and a Violation of our Conſtitution: And we hope, the Bill we ſhall now Frame for raiſing Supplies for his Majeſty's Service, will be conſiſtent with the Liberties and Privileges of *Britiſh* Subjects, and juſtifiable upon the Principles of our Conſtitution, and conſequently demonſtrate, that the Repreſentatives of his Majeſty's faithful and loyal Subjects of this Province, " are animated with the ſame laudable Spirit, which hath, ſince the Beginning of this War, ſo remarkably excited their Fellow-Subjects to exert their moſt vigorous Efforts."

H. HOOPER, Speaker.

March 25, 1760.

The Governor's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Lower Houſe of Aſſembly,

I *THANK you for your Promiſe to take the Letters, which I laid before you at the Opening of this Seſſion, into immediate Conſideration; and as you ſay you are deſirous to pay all due Regard to the Opinion of his Majeſty's Attorney-General (given on the Supply-Bill that was about two Years ago rejected by the Upper Houſe, and on what paſſed between the two Houſes thereupon), I flatter myſelf that your Proceedings at this Time, will be ſuch as may meet with the Approbation of our moſt gracious Sovereign, as well as of your Conſtituents.*

HOR°. SHARPE.

Laſt Monday came to Town, from the Northward, the Honourable Col. WILLIAM HOWE, of the LVIIIth Regiment (Member of the *Britiſh* Parliament for *Nottingham*) on a Viſit to his Excellency our Governor.

☞ *After the moſt ſtrict and diligent ſearch and enquiry, throughout all this Town, we cannot find, that the SMALL-POX is any where in it, except in one Family, near* Severn, *at a Diſtance from Neighbours; nor has it been in any Part of the Town, that Family only excepted, ſince laſt Fall. There is little or no Danger of it's Spreading in Town, (except it ſhould be by Inoculation) for almoſt all the Inhabitants have had that Diſtemper.*

JUST IMPORTED in the PHOENIX, Captain Mc GACHIN, from LONDON, and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at his Store at George-Town, *at* Rock-Creek, *the Head of* Potowmack,

TWO Hundred Pieces of Engliſh Sail Cloth aſorted, Numb. 1. to Numb. 8; Grapnells and Anchors from Half a Hundred to 500 Wt. aſorted; Braſs and Wood Compaſſes; Bunting; Log Lines; Sand Glaſſes; hand Pumps; Scupper, and Pump Nails; hand Leads and Lines; Trumpets; Oakum; Pump Leather; Sail, and Bolt Rope, Twine; Houſſline and Marline; *Hambro'*, and deep Sea Lines; ſome Cordage; ſheathing Paper; Flock Beds; Sailor's ready made Cloaths; and other Ship Chandlery.

LIKEWISE, Variety of *European* and *India* Goods, Rum, Sugar, *&c.* very Cheap, for Ready Money, or ſhort Credit, Bills, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, *&c.* STEPHEN WEST.

N. B. George-Town *is very conveniently ſituated for either* Virginia *or* Maryland; *a good Landing Navigable for Veſſels of any Burthen. I expect every Day a large parcel of Rum, Sugar, Mellaſſes, Coffee, Cotton, Chocolate, Wine, &c. and ſhall be conſtantly ſupplied with thoſe Commodities.*

By PERMISSION of his EXCELLENCY,

This preſent Evening,

At the THEATRE in this City, will be preſented, a TRAGEDY, *(written by Dr.* YOUNG, *Author of the* NIGHT THOUGHTS) *call'd, The*

REVENGE.

And a FARCE *(by Command)* call'd,

THE LYING VALET.

AND,

On Saturday Evening next, being the 29th Inſtant, will be preſented, a COMEDY, *call'd,*

A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE.

Sir Philip Modelove, *Mr.* MURRAY: Periwinkle, *Mr.* PALMER: Tradelove, *Mr.* MORRIS: Obadiah Prim, *Mr.* SCOTT: Colonel Fainwell, *Mr.* DOUGLASS: Freeman, *Mr.* HALLAM: Sackbut, *Mr.* SCOTT: Quaking Boy, *Mr.* A. HALLAM.

Mrs. Lovely, *Mrs.* DOUGLASS: *Mrs.* Prim, *Mrs.* MORRIS: Betty, *Mrs.* DOWTHAITT: Maſk'd Lady, *Miſs* DOWTHAITT.

To which will be added, a Paſtoral FARCE, *call'd,*

DAMON AND PHILIDA;

Being the laſt Time of Acting 'til the Eaſter Holidays.

No Money will be received at the Door on any Account; nor any Perſons admitted without TICKETS, which may be had at the PRINTING-OFFICE, and at the Bar of Mr. *Middleton's* Tavern.

BOXES 10*ſ.* PIT 7*ſ* 6. GALLERY 5*ſ.*

No Perſon to be admitted behind the Scenes.

To begin exactly at VI o'Clock.

March 26, 1760.

RAN away laſt Night from the *Baltimore* Iron-Works, on *Patapſco* in *Maryland*, two Convict Servant Men, *viz.*

Thomas Woodcock, a thin faced *Engliſhman*, about 30 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, dark Complexion, ſhort brown Hair, ſtoops in his Walk, and ſnuffles in his Speech. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, Country Shoes nailed round the Sole, Yarn Stockings, a knit Yarn Cap, and old Hat.

Lawrence Farrole, an *Iriſhman*, a luſty, well-ſet Fellow, about 23 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 Inches high, black Hair, has a long ſharp Noſe, and lubberly Walk. Had on when he went away, a Cotton Jacket and Breeches, Oznabrig Shirt, ſpeckled Yarn Stockings, Country Shoes, and Felt Hat.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall have, if taken in *Baltimore* County, Forty Shillings for each; if in any other County of the Province, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Five Pounds Reward for each or either of them; and reaſonable Charges if brought home. R. CROXALL.

N. B. They may ſteal other Cloaths, and change their Names.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *William Green*, at the Plantation of *Samuel Meek*, at the Head of *Severn*, a very ſmall dark Bay Mare, about 3 Years old, has no Brand that can be perceiv'd, a white Face, and one white hind Foot.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Naylor*, near the *Woodyard*, in *Prince-George*'s County, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare about 13 Hands high, has four white Feet with black Hairs above her Foot-locks, has a Star in her Forehead, a Snip on her Noſe, ſeveral Saddle Spots, branded on the near Thigh ſomething like C.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Charles Cheney*, at *Antietam*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Cheſnut Sorrel Mare, branded with TH (join'd in one) on the near Thigh, a ſmall Star in her Forehead, a Saddle Spot on her Back; and has a laſt Spring's Sorrel Colt with her.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Clark*, on *Captain-John*'s Run, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare with a Star in her Forehead, about 13 Hands high, has 3 white Spots over her near Eye, and is branded with S D on the near Buttock.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Benjamin Biggs* at *Manocaſy*, near *Tom's-Creek* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Dark Bay Mare, branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder with R, and has ſome white Hairs on each Flank.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THere is at the Plantation of *Cha. Cheney*, junr. at *Antietam*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a black Horſe branded on the left Buttock C, and has a few white Hairs in his Forehead.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *Andrew Macguier*, living on the *Bear-Branch*, a draught of *Great Pipe Creek*, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare with a grey Tail, branded on the near Buttock with ſomething like ꝟE join'd back to back and ꝟ join'd at the Bottom.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Baltimore-Town*, a Convict Servant Lad named *Hugh Pugh*, about 19 or 20 Years of Age, of a middling Stature, fair Complexion, mark'd with the Small-Pox, and ſtoops in his Walking. Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat and Linen Cap, a Coat, Jacket and Breeches of green Half-thick, an Oznabrig Shirt, coarſe Stockings and Shoes, and a pair of Steel Buckles.

Whoever apprehends ſaid Servant, and brings him home, ſhall have (if taken within 20 Miles of home) Thirty Shillings; if further, Forty Shillings, Reward. JOHN ORRICK.

Upper-Marlborough, March 18, 1760.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Subſcribers, in Account of above one Year's ſtanding, are deſired to make immediate Payment, or they may expect to be ſued without further Notice.

ALEXANDER and ANDREW SYMMER.

March 20, 1760.

ANY Perſon qualified to take the Command of a ſmall Sea Sloop, bound for *New-York*, and can come well recommended, may meet with Employment, by applying to the Subſcriber now at *Annapolis*. JOHN HANSON, junior.

STRAYED away from the Subſcriber, at Major *Thomas Harwood's*, in *Prince-George*'s County, near *Queen-Anne*, on the 15th of *February* paſt, a Roaniſh colour'd Horſe, about 14 Hands high, has a white Mane and Tail, and has a ſmall Brand B on the near Buttock.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to the Subſcriber, living near the Rev. Mr. *Brogden*'s Chapel, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward if taken within 20 Miles of his Plantation, or a Piſtole if taken at a further Diſtance.

SAMUEL TYLER, junr.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *Ignatius Lucas*, living on Mr. *Carroll's* Manor in *Anne-Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Bay Gelding, about 12½ Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder H, has ſome Saddle Spots on the near Side, trots and gallops, and the Mane hangs on the near Side.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THE PATENT of a Tract of Land called *The Diamond*, granted to *Thomas Roper*, in the Year 1703, for 400 Acres of Land lying in *Prince-George*'s County, has paſſed through ſeveral Hands and cannot be found, and by a diligent Search the Patent appears to be cut out of the Record. It was delivered to one *George Buchannan*, and cannot be heard of ſince.

Whoſoever will deliver the ſaid Patent to the Subſcriber, or give him Notice, ſo that he may have it, ſhall receive a Piſtole Reward; and for the Certificate of the ſaid Land from the Record, Half a Piſtole Reward, paid by

SAMUEL TAWNEHILL.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Chriſtian Miller*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare about 14 Hands high, has a Star in her Forehead, Paces, and has no perceivable Brand; had on an old broken Bell, with a Leather Collar and double Buckle.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

STRAY'D or Stolen from the Dwelling Plantation of Mrs. *Chriſtian Smith*, near Mr. *Joſeph Sim's*, in *Prince-George's* County, the firſt Week in *November* laſt, a middle ſiz'd Cheſnut Sorrel Mare about 13 or 13½ Hands high, with a large Star in her Forehead, her hind Feet, and half Way up her Legs are white, has large Hoofs, a ſhort Neck, ſome Saddle Spots on her Back, and grey Hairs on her Buttocks, hanging Mane and Tail, and branded on the near Shoulder with TP join'd together, and on the Buttock ſomething like this A, ſhe paces, trots and gallops. Whoever brings the ſaid Mare to the Subſcriber in *Calvert* County, ſhall receive Thirty Shillings Reward for their Trouble, from JOHN SKINNER. 2

STRAY'D from the Plantation of Mr. *George Maxwell* on *Patuxent*, a Black Horſe about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock RB. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to the Subſcriber, Bricklayer, near *Allen's-Freſh* in *Charles* County, ſhall be paid Twenty Shillings Reward. 3
GEORGE LYNN.

TO BE RUN FOR,

At the uſual Race Ground, near ALEXANDRIA, *on Thurſday the 29th Day of* May *next*,

A PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS, the beſt in three Heats, (three Times round the Ground, which is about two Miles and a Half each Heat), by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, 14 Hands to carry ten Stone, or below that Meaſure, Weight for Inches.

And on Friday the 30th will be run for, a Purſe of Fifteen Pounds, by any Horſe, &c. 14 Hands carrying nine Stone, or below that Meaſure, Weight for Inches. 3

The Horſes to be entered on the Monday before at the Court-Houſe, with Meſſrs. *Carlyle*, *Adams*, and *Hunter*, between the Hours of Two and Six o'Clock in the Afternoon. The Entrance Money to be paid for the firſt Race, Thirty Shillings for each Horſe, &c. And for the ſecond, Fifteen Shillings each.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine any Diſputes which may ariſe.

Three Horſes to Enter and Start or no Race.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

THE Plantation, in *Cæcil* County, whereon Mr. JAMES PAUL HEATH, deceaſed, and the Subſcriber, lately lived, to which belong about 1500 Acres of excellent Land. There is alſo on the Plantation, a very handſome well built Brick Dwelling Houſe, two Story high, with four good Rooms on a Floor, together with handſome and convenient Offices of Brick. The houſe is very pleaſantly ſituated on *Saſſafras* River, and commands a beautiful and extenſive Proſpect. There are alſo other Commodious Buildings, ſuch as Barns, Tobacco Houſes, Granaries, Stables, Houſes for Quarters or Tenants. It is about three or four Miles from *Frederick* and *George* Towns. There is ſome good Meadow, and a great deal more may be made. 3

For Title and Terms Enquire of WALTER DULANY, Eſq; in *Annapolis*, or the Subſcriber at his Plantation in *Baltimore* County near *Buſh-Town*.

N. B. If a Number of Purchaſers ſhou'd offer, the Land may be laid out in Lots.

JAMES HEATH.

Prince-George's County, *February* 26, 1760.

THE ſeveral Gentlemen in this Province, that have any Demands againſt Mr. *Peter Fearon*, of *London*, Merchant, and Capt. *John Fearon*, late of this Province, deceaſed, Partner in Trade with the aforeſaid *Peter Fearon*, or againſt the Subſcriber during the Time he was Factor for the ſaid Company, are requeſted to ſend a Copy of their Claims to the Subſcriber, by the Tenth Day of April next; as his Friends in *London* have promiſed him to get Juſtice done to the Creditors, who have hitherto ſuffered, as well as himſelf, for the large Sums of Money due from the ſaid Company; which Accounts, as well as his own, he intends to ſend home early in the Spring. 4

All Letters and Accounts directed for me at *Upper-Marlborough* ſhall be taken due Care of.

GEORGE CLARKE.

ANY induſtrious, ſober TRADESMEN, willing to ſettle in *Upper-Marlborough*, will meet with Encouragement by applying to the Subſcriber, who will either Sell Land, or Build for a reaſonable Rent.

A good TAYLOR, SHOEMAKER, BUTCHER, TANNER, CABINET-MAKER, STAY-MAKER, and JOINER, are much wanted.

DANIEL CARROLL.

To be RENTED, in ALEXANDRIA,

THE GEORGE TAVERN. There are three Fire Places below Stairs, a very good Bar, and ſix Rooms above; a Kitchen adjoining, with two good Rooms below and above, a Dining Room 24 Feet by 18, a Room of the ſame Dimenſions above it, in which is a very good *London* BILLIARD TABLE. There are alſo, a Garden, Stable, Smoke-houſe, &c.

Any Perſon inclining to Rent the ſame for a Term of Years, may know the Terms and Time, by applying to the Subſcriber, (or in his Abſence to Mrs. *Ramſay*) and enter on the Premiſſes in good Order.

WILLIAM RAMSAY.

Alexandria, Jan. 30. 1760. 3

Alexandria, Virginia, Feb. 19, 1760.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Mr. *David Craig*, late Merchant of *Alexandria* in *Virginia*, deceaſed, are deſired to come and ſettle their Accounts; and thoſe who have any Demands againſt the ſaid Eſtate, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be paid.

As my Intention is, in a ſhort Time, to leave this Colony, and have a ſpeedy Settlement of the Affair, thoſe who will not come and give Bond by the laſt of *March* next, may expect their Accounts will be put into the Hands of an Attorney, to be proſecuted according to Law, and thoſe which will bear General Court Suits, may expect them.

4 JOHN CRAIG, Adminiſtrator.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Thurſday the Third of April *next, upon the Premiſſes, for Sterling Money*,

A PARCEL of Land containing 497 Acres, ſituate on *Elk-Ridge*, about 12 Miles from *Elk-Ridge* Landing; the Land is well Timber'd, and has upon it Two good Dwelling-Houſes with Brick Chimneys, and other convenient Houſes, and a very good Orchard. It lies very convenient to a good Water-Mill which never wants Water. The Title to be ſhewn at the Day of Sale.

The Sale to be at Two o'Clock Afternoon.

ALSO to be Sold, at the ſame Time and Place, a likely, young, Country born NEGRO WENCH, by

✕5 JOHN SELLMAN, Son of *William*.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

At GEORGE-TOWN *in* Frederick *County, on Saturday the 5th Day of* April,

THE following Tracts of LAND, *viz.*

Philip and Jacob, containing 400 Acres.
Part of *Whitehaven*, containing 409 Acres.
Part of *Friendſhip*, containing 1200 Acres.

Theſe are all adjoining, and make a Body of well Timber'd Land; on which are Two Plantations, with good Orchards, Four Tobacco-Houſes framed, and all other neceſſary Houſes, and are very convenient for Trade or Cropping, lying on *Patowmack* River, about three Miles above *George-Town* in *Frederick* County.

Part of *Addiſon's Choice*, containing 800 Acres.

This Tract lies on *Manockaſy*, within two Miles of *Frederick-Town* in *Frederick* County.

✕5 JOHN ADDISON,
WILLIAM MURDOCK.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wedneſday the ſecond of April, *at* Pig-Point,

A PARCEL of choice Country-born Slaves, conſiſting of Men, Women, and Children; a Cook Wench, and two young Wenches, that have been brought up to Waſhing, Ironing, &c. for Bills of Exchange or Current Money, by

✕5 RICHARD HARRISON, & BENJ. HARRISON.

Frederick-Town, February 26, 1760.

A SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR raiſing Five Hundred Dollars, for purchaſing a FIRE ENGINE for the Uſe of *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick* County, to conſiſt of 1750 Tickets at Two Dollars each, 532 of which to be Fortunate, without any Deduction, *viz.*

1	of	200	DOLLARS,	is	200
2	of	80	are		160
3	of	40	are		120
4	of	20	are		80
20	of	10	are		200
50	of	8	are		400
450	of	4	are		1800
1	Firſt drawn Blank,				20
1	Laſt drawn Blank,				20
532	Prizes.			Sum raiſed	500
1218	Blanks.				

1750 Tickets at 2 Dollars each, is 3500

THE Overplus of the Profits after purchaſing the FIRE ENGINE and it's Appurtenances (if any) to be applied towards erecting of a MARKET-HOUSE in the ſaid Town.

By the above Scheme there are little more than Two Blanks and a Quarter to a Prize, and the Profits retained are not quite Fifteen *per Cent* upon the Whole.

When the Tickets are diſpoſed of, the Drawing is to begin (on 14 Days previous Notice, at leaſt, to be given in this Gazette) in the Court-Houſe of the ſaid County, in the Preſence of Five of the Managers at leaſt, and as many of the Adventurers as ſhall think proper to attend.

The Drawing, it is ſuppoſed, will be in Two Months at fartheſt, as a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged.

The Managers are, Meſſrs. *Thomas Schly*, *James Dickſon*, *Conrod Groſh*, *Arthur Charlton*, *Chriſtopher Edelin*, *Michael Ramar*, *Caſpar Shaaf*, *Thomas Price*, *Levi Cohan*, *John Cary*, and *George Murdock*, who are to give Bond, and take an Oath for the faithful Diſcharge of their Truſt.

A Liſt of the Prizes to be publiſhed in this Gazette, as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed; and the Prizes to be paid off without any Deduction.

Prizes not demanded within Six Months from the Publication aforeſaid, to be deem'd as a generous Preſent for the Uſe intended, and applied accordingly.

N. B. The Value of Seven Shillings and Six Pence in *Maryland* or *Pennſylvania* Currency, will be received in Lieu of each Dollar in the Sale of Tickets, and the ſame Currency to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes by the fortunate Adventurers.

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